

SUN BEAMS

by WALTER M. BARRETT

The fall season apparently is upon us again and with the approach of the winter season comes the realization that for the next few months we cannot depend too much upon the vacationists and tourists for the bulk of our patronage but must depend on each other. Truckee could well be the busiest town in the entire state, even during the winter, if trading could be confined to local stores. We can prove this during the coming few months with the cooperation of those who handle the purse strings. Let us assure you that only gain can come from such a procedure.

Despite the fact that hundreds of hunters, all armed with high powered rifles, have been scattered throughout the mountains contingent to Truckee for the past two weeks, only one casualty resulted. One man accidentally wounded himself. That is a fine record and we hope it can be maintained until the end of the season. Continued carefulness will make it a certainty.

The Truckee Lions Club last week went on record as favoring more stringent regulation on the harvesting of Christmas trees. This, in our estimation, is one of the most important programs that can be enacted. The wanton waste which accompanies the cutting of trees each year is appalling and absolutely needless. Strict regulation, both on private and public land would do much to preserve our great watersheds. But continued speculation by individuals, who care nothing for our few remaining forests, can end only in disaster. If the trees cut and hauled to market were all sold, then the matter would be bad, but to use them as a basis for monetary speculation and after the holidays destroy the thousands left over is waste of the worst kind. Cooperation of other organizations will be sought by the local service club in finding a way to preserve our forests. We cannot stop the loss by harmful insects and disease, nor can we hope to eliminate the huge losses by fire altogether, but we can eliminate to a great degree the unnecessary, wanton destruction by the speculator's axe.

WYETHIA CLUB TO HAVE FOOD SALE FOR BENEFIT OF PULMOTOR

The Wyethia Club members will hold a food sale Friday, September 27, at the Truckee Public Utility office to raise \$50 for their donation to the pulmomotor and respirator to be purchased through the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department by local civic organizations.

Mrs. Laurence Zobel is chairman of the sale. Pastries and other foods will be contributed by non-members as well as members of the women's service club.

Mrs. James Garibaldi presided at the first fall meeting last Thursday evening in the club house and appointed Mrs. C. J. Bowers chairman of the membership committee to be assisted by Mrs. W. M. Englehart, Jr., and Mrs. Zobel. Mrs. Marshall Richardson is in charge of narcotics and legislation investigations. Mrs. Benjamin Tonini will act as co-ordinator with the local Red Cross chapter.

Mesdames Haumbert Ciardella and W. M. Englehart, Sr., were in charge of the program which opened with a piano solo by Humbert Ciardella followed by Miss Lois Declin who gave a recitation, sang and played the piano. A true and false quiz conducted by Mrs. Englehart was won by Mrs. R. S. Boren. Mrs. Garibaldi was victorious in the spelling bee. Refreshments served by the hostesses of the evening closed the session.

The next meeting will be held in the afternoon of October 3.

Brawlers Draw Sentences In Truckee Justice Court

Mauard Ainsworth, 20, started serving 30-day jail sentence this week following his conviction before Justice of the Peace C. E. Smith on a charge of assault and battery. A companion in the brawl which occurred at Hobart Mills, Eugene Scafe, 17, was given a 30-day suspended sentence.

County Fair Closes After Successful 3-Day Showing

Nevada county's third annual fair came to a close in Grass Valley Sunday night after a successful three day run. Attendance for the entire fair was estimated in excess of 5,000.

The horse show, held Sunday, was the principal attraction of the final day's events.

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Life Of Author Recited Before Large Audience

More Than 100 At Dinner Meeting to Honor Author

TELLS EXPERIENCES

Service Club Host to Scores At Meeting Held Monday

More than 100 members of the Rotary and Lions clubs and their guests crowded the California Cafe Monday night to hear Peter B. Kyne, famous author and world traveler, who gave a most enlightening talk on his experiences as a writer.

Kyne, who has served in the army in three wars, has had a varied and interesting life which started in a grocery store in the Half Moon Bay region. He worked at many jobs prior to taking up writing at the age of 29, being engaged in the mining, lumbering and race horse business, he said.

He recited many interesting anecdotes, gave the basis for a number of his novels and in general told of the various ramifications surrounding the life of a novelist. He described his work being similar to that of any other business where a product is designed, manufactured and then marketed.

Kyne was introduced by A. J. (Gus) Russell, prominent west coast lumberman and a life-long associate of the principal speaker. Russell came to Truckee with Kyne at an invitation from Charles Cross, who was program chairman for the Rotary club. Cross was employed under Russell in San Francisco prior to coming here.

Theodore Schleuter, president of the Rotary club, presided at the meeting and W. M. Englehart, Jr., president of the Lions club, expressed the appreciation of his club in being privileged to attend.

One of the highlights of the evening occurred when the Truckee Junior Game Patrol marched into the room in uniform with their American Flag. This portion of the affair was arranged by Verne Pearson, who with Harold Hart takes the lead in the boys' work in the community. Kyne praised highly the work of the clubs in sponsoring the group.

M. L. Jennings, assistant general manager of the Southern Pacific, and former Truckee man, attended the meeting. Other guests included a large delegation from the Nevada Lumber Company numbering Bill Uch, J. Roy Cross, Walter Gurth, Gordon Henning, Dale James, Erle Martin and others.

Community singing was a feature of the gathering with Pearson leading in favorite melodies, his daughter, Verna, presiding at the piano.

Stolen Truck Recovered By Truckee Deputy Sheriff

A light truck, stolen in San Francisco, was recovered through the efforts of Deputy Sheriff N. F. Dolley near Farad last week and returned to the rightful owners. J. W. Cartwright reported the abandoned machine to the local officer.

Two Men Are Fined In Tahoe Justice Court

Judge E. W. Bliss, Tahoe City, reports final fine payments have been made by Edward Kennedy, Tahoe City, and J. A. Mollett, Oakland, for having left fires unextinguished in the Kings Beach area. Mollett left a campfire on August 18 on the Ernest property and was at his Oakland home when located by Ranger H. I. Snider, who issued the complaint for the violation.

Kennedy left a fire where he was camped west of Fox ave. in the timber on July 19.

These two have been the only campfire regulation violations occurring in the Lake Tahoe area this year, Snider said.

REBEKAH PRESIDENT HONORED AT SPECIAL MEETING ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Ethel Mattson, president of the Rebekah assembly, paid her official visit to Naomi Rebekah Lodge No. 2 at a special meeting held on Tuesday evening. She was accompanied by Rena Trimble, grand conductor, and Annie A. Catlett, grand warden. Many guests were present from Sparks, Verdi and Loyalton. Past President Lois L. Herberth of Nevada and Pearl Jackson, past grand treasurer, also of Nevada, were visitors.

An Italian dinner preceded and refreshments were served at the close of the evening. Many inspiring talks were given for the good of the order and Miss Catherine Rossarini and Mrs. Lotta Bryant rendered a piano duet. Leona Cartwright, noble grand, thanked the officers and members who assisted in every way to make the evening a success.

NEVADA COUNTY HAS SECOND LARGEST PAY AVERAGE IN STATE

SAN FRANCISCO —(R.N.S.)— The average annual earnings per worker is higher in San Francisco than in any other county in California with Nevada County second, the research department of the California State Chamber of Commerce reported this week.

Of the 10 highest counties all but one—Los Angeles—are in Northern and Central California, the chamber said. The average annual earning per worker for the 10 leading counties, based on unemployment insurance data, follows:

San Francisco	\$1751
Nevada	1652
Kern	1649
Los Angeles	1631
Contra Costa	1613
Calaveras	1593
Siskiyou	1576
Amador	1564
San Mateo	1544
Mariposa	1529

Of these ten, four lie in the sixth assembly district.

Loss to Pine Bark Beetle Larger Than Lumber Harvest In California

SACRAMENTO —(U.P.)— The loss of pine timber infestation has amounted to 575,000,000 board feet or more than the annual cut of timber by the lumber industry of the state, Dr. John Miller of the U. S. bureau of entomology said this week.

Excellent progress toward control of the pine bark beetle is being made and it is now possible to select, with considerable certainty, the trees most subject to attack and to control infestation through a process of selective logging he said.

Sheriff, Two Local Couples Are Parents During Week

Three births of interest to local people occurred in the early part of this week.

In Reno on Tuesday night, September 24, Linda Frances Loynd arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loynd of Truckee. The baby girl weighed into the world at eight pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Miller, also of Truckee, were reported to be the parents of a son born in Reno on September 21.

Sheriff and Mrs. Carl J. Toblissen of Nevada City are the proud parents of a 7½ baby boy born in the Nevada City Sanitarium on Tuesday night.

Knights of Pythias Plan On Buck Stew Tomorrow

Next Friday evening at 7 p. m. the members of Summit Lodge No. 54, Knights of Pythias, will hold their annual buck stew at the Odd Fellows Hall here. All members are urged to attend this meeting since a visit from an officer of the grand lodge is anticipated and a good turnout is desirable.

Chancellor Commander Fred Kohler and W. H. Laity will have charge of the kitchen and arrangements.

Committee Will Investigate Fund Of Fish, Game

Thurman Proposes Probe Into Expenditures Of Commission

Sportsmen who pay millions of dollars in license fees to the state will soon know more about how their money is being spent as a result of action taken by the state legislature which met in special session last Saturday and Sunday.

A resolution creating a committee to investigate the expenditure of fish and game funds was passed by the state assembly. Assemblyman Allen G. Thurman of this district, author of the resolution, will head the committee.

While the alleged junketing trip to Mexican waters of members of the fish and game commission and members of the department of natural resources will be included in the investigation, several other important matters pertaining to the expenditures of the sportsmen's money are to be investigated.

Jack Theilen Again Uses Retentive Memory to Get Man Wanted by Officers

The retentive memory of Highway Patrolman J. A. (Jack) Thielen has again prevented the successful escape of another culprit according to a report from Sacramento.

Thielen, who has been on duty in this vicinity during the summer, recognized the license number of a car driven by Albert Depew of Glendale as one which had been broadcast by authorities throughout the state and arrested the man who is wanted in three southern California cities on charges of passing fictitious checks, on the Stockton road eight miles from Sacramento on Monday.

Pythian Sisters Urged To Attend Program Saturday

All members of Summit Lodge No. 79, Pythian Sisters, are being urged to make a special effort to attend the meeting at Odd Fellows Hall Saturday afternoon when Grand Chief Edna A. Smith of Covina will be the honored guest. A fitting program has been arranged, including the exemplification of the work. The program starts at 1:30 p. m.

At 6:30 o'clock banquet will be held at Tony's Coffee Shop and an evening meeting will be featured by the conferring of the lodge degree upon two candidates.

Opening for Blacksmith Announced at CCC Camp

G. E. Mitchell, Tahoe Forest engineer, announces an opening for a good blacksmith and tool sharpener in the Hobart Mills C. C. C. camp. The forest service is allowed, Mitchell says, five project assistants who are enrolled and have the same duties and responsibilities as junior enrollees except that the age limit does not apply and they are assigned strictly to the forest service superintendent. A rating with increased pay is available if services are satisfactory.

This is a good position, Mitchell feels, for a blacksmith and tool sharpener who might be up in years and, although still able to carry on his trade, is not keen for the usual competition in commercial work. There is the security regular pay, meals, medical attention, clothing and other incidentals.

Republican Leaders Visit Here Confident of Victory

Paul Ulrich of Chicago Park, chairman of the Republican Central Committee of Nevada County, and Loyce S. Freeman of Grass Valley, active Nevada County G. O. P. leader, were in Truckee yesterday conferring with local voters in behalf of the Willkie Club of Nevada County. Both expressed the opinion that the Willkie forces are gaining strength throughout the county, state and nation.

STATE CHAMBER LAUDS AUTUMN COLORING ON ROAD TO LAKE TAHOE

With the crisp feel of autumn in the air, scarlet, bronze and golden yellow colorings have already begun on the wooded slopes of the Sierras, according to Elisabeth Larsh Young of the California State Chamber of Commerce staff now making a survey of autumn colorings in eastern California.

"Coloring along the Truckee River Canyon," she said, "between Truckee and Lake Tahoe where the aspen, cottonwood and willow are all turning yellow and gold. To make a beautiful picture, there are plenty of evergreens for contrast. The majority of the coloring is across the Truckee River from the road, making it ideal for the motoring traveler."

In her review of several spots, Miss Young came to the conclusion that "Autumn coloring in California's mountains is a beautiful experience but it is sadly neglected. The motorists will revel in the beauty and the kodachrome fan will find unsurpassed color scenes to preserve on film."

SIERRA PACIFIC WORK AT INDEPENDENCE NO DETRIMENT TO FISH

Reports that the reclamation and repair work being done at Independence Lake by the Sierra Pacific Power Company will be detrimental to the fish life in the lake has been branded as false by J. C. Lewis, in charge of the state fish hatcheries at Lake Tahoe. Lewis said upon his return after viewing the work at the lake that no damage would result from the project and that the fish would be amply protected.

Lake Tahoe Man Named To County Draft Board By Superior Judge Landis

Superior Judge J. B. Landis of Placer county this week submitted the name of Henry F. Droste of Tahoe City along with M. J. Royer of Roseville and A. C. Mellinger of Auburn to Adjutant General Mittelstadt for approval as members of the Placer county draft board.

If approved by the adjutant general, the names will go to Governor Olson for approval and then to Washington, D. C., for final action.

The draft board is expected to sit as in World War days, making classifications and passing on all exemptions of those called under the terms of the peace time conscription bill which was recently passed by congress and signed by the president.

Two Sentenced for County Sobriety Ordinance Violation

Two violators of the county's sobriety ordinance were haled before Justice of the Peace C. E. Smith this week. Grace Beck of Reno was given a 30-day suspended sentence and William E. Crofoot, 45, paid a \$30 fine.

State Old Age Relief Cleints Increase to 145,188 in Aug.

The state department of social welfare announced this week that 1,724 new recipients were added to the California old age security rolls during August. This increase brings the total number of recipients throughout the state to 145,188. These individuals received a total of \$5,507,448.45, being an average payment of \$37.93.

The 488 Nevada county recipients received a total in aid of \$19,121.30.

No Hunter Fires Reported In This District This Year

No fires to date have occurred from hunters in the local area of the Tahoe National Forest. However, dampness from showers of rain last week has practically disappeared and all hunters are urged to exercise extreme care during the remaining dry fall period in order to maintain their previous good record.

The members of the Sierra Club will drive to Alder Creek, about four miles pass in Riverton El Dorado county, on the Placerville road to Lake Tahoe, Sunday, meeting there at 10 a. m. for a hike up the creek. The trip will be open to the public.

Outing Club To Purchase Lands For Local Work

Agreement Nearly Reached To Acquire Property On Hill

CONTRIBUTIONS MADE

Progress Noted on Developing Worthwhile Program This Year

Aside from the donations of labor, materials and effort, nearly \$1,000 has been subscribed to the Winter Sports program in Truckee. Dan D. Smith has turned in his list as complete, although a number of interested prospective donors have not been contacted.

The club at the meeting Tuesday night voted to enter into an agreement with O. C. Haslett for the purchase of approximately 50 acres of land where the proposed up-ski is to be installed and other equipment erected. The agreement calls for not more than 50 acres at a price of \$20 an acre. This acre cost will be reduced 50 per cent with the provision that the park be named Kruger Hill in commemoration of the late founder of the Truckee Lumber Company.

No other alternative seemed advisable, so the agreement was tentatively reached.

MRS. McIVER SEES HALF CENTURY OF CHANGES IN TOWN

One of Truckee's most thriving industries nearly half a century ago went out of existence recently with the closing of the McIver Dairy.

Mrs. James McIver, Sr., owner and operator of the dairy, said that when she and her late husband started the business over 40 years ago, there were 16 dairies in Truckee, ranging from three to 60 cows. At that time, she said, Iceland, Polaris, Boca, Dago Flat and Donner Camp were turning out millions of pounds of ice annually. Lumber mills, box factories and breweries were thriving and things were really booming.

One by one the ice plants gave way to the more modern methods, the woods became depleted of their marketable merchandise and the dairies began closing, the McIver plant remaining to the last. Most of the dairymen here sold their stock and went into other enterprises locally, but others left to continue elsewhere.

"We have seen many changes since we went to Iceland 50 years ago," Mrs. McIver said, in recalling the early times in Truckee and vicinity. She did not comment whether these changes have been for the better or worse.

Community Sunday School To Observe Rally Day Soon

Sunday, October 5, will be observed as Rally Day by the Community Methodist Sunday School. An appropriate program is being prepared. At the 11 o'clock service on the same day the church will observe the Lord's Supper, thus joining in world-wide day observance of the Communion on that day.

Student Body at M.L.U.H.S. Elects Officers on Friday

The student body of the Meadow Lake Union High School named Kieth Weeden as president for the coming year at an election held last Friday afternoon. Other officers named included Rose Petroni, first vice president; Betty B. Pearson, second vice president; Laura Angellini, secretary; Verna E. Pearson, treasurer; Sam Costa, sergeant at arms and Miss Anne Munro, advisor.

Classes and the student council will complete organization in the near future.

Weeden announced that Principal G. E. Hofmann had suspended the annual freshman initiation this year and for the future. Flagging interest in the affair was indicated as the reason for the action.

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EDITORIALS

NEWSPAPER WEEK

The celebration of National Newspaper Week, October 1 to 8, calling attention to the vital role a free press plays, is a sound idea.

What could be more tragic than for us to sit back complacently in the thought that freedom of the press is somehow God-given and eternal? Nothing could be farther from the truth. Ask the John Does in the dictator-controlled lands who must daily read—if they care to read at all—newsless newspapers, pre-digested pap prepared by government censors, giving them, if at all, only such vague glimmerings of the truth as it pleases their masters.

Enlightened opinion, achieved by a full and generous circulation of news, views, criticism and opinions, is as needful to sustain the health of democracy as sunlight is to sustain life. That conviction is one which, to a greater or lesser degree, is shared by all citizens—and with good reason. It roots are sunk deep in America's past, for it was more than two centuries ago that the first great battle of the freedom of the press was decisively won in this country. On August 4, 1735 John Peter Zenger, publisher of the New York Weekly Journal, was haled into court on a charge of libel because he had dared to criticize the governor's administration! The jury in the case rendered, perhaps unknowingly, a momentous decision in the history of a free press when it declared the publisher acquitted.

We find it a little incredible now to think of a man being arrested for criticizing government policy, yet we know from the disastrous course of events abroad, the right of the press to speak freely only survives while nations are free. But National Newspaper Week is a welcome reminder of another truth—a free press is a powerful force in keeping nations strong and free.

RAILS TO THE FRONT

Despite artificial impediments, excessive regulation, and exorbitant taxation, the American railroads have supplied constantly improved service to all the country throughout the years, said the New York Commercial and Financial Chronicle, recently.

"There has never been in the United States any moment of relaxed effort or of retarded progress in the railway industry," the article went on. "The facts speak for themselves to all whose observation has not been limited by lack of comprehension or by prejudice too dark to admit the light."

You don't have to go to any authority to prove this—anyone who has had contact with the railroads knows it. The farmer knows that it is improved railroad service which enables him to sell his crops in far-off, profitable markets, with a minimum of waste and spoilage. The manufacturer knows that it is cheap, fast transport by rail which permits him to meet the demands of merchants and consumers in every section of the nation. The traveler knows the kind of rail progress that has given him the swift, superbly comfortable trains of today—at a steady reduction in the fare charged. The worker knows how many jobs depend upon the billion dollars a year the railroads spend for supplies.

Even as the railroads played a major role in building our nation, they are playing a major role in helping to defend and preserve a still greater nation of the future.

THE HIGH FLYER

Breaking all known altitude records, the federal debt went soaring past the \$44 billion mark a few days ago. The federal statutory limit is \$45 billion. Amount of funds borrowed: \$44,061,821,728. Leeway: less than \$1 billion. One thing is plain. Either Congress will have to raise the ceiling or that high-flying debt will have to come down—and in the very near future.

THE AMERICAN IDEA

"This is what I call the American idea: a government of the people, by the people, and for the people—a government of the principles of eternal justice, the unchanging law of God."—Theodore Parker.

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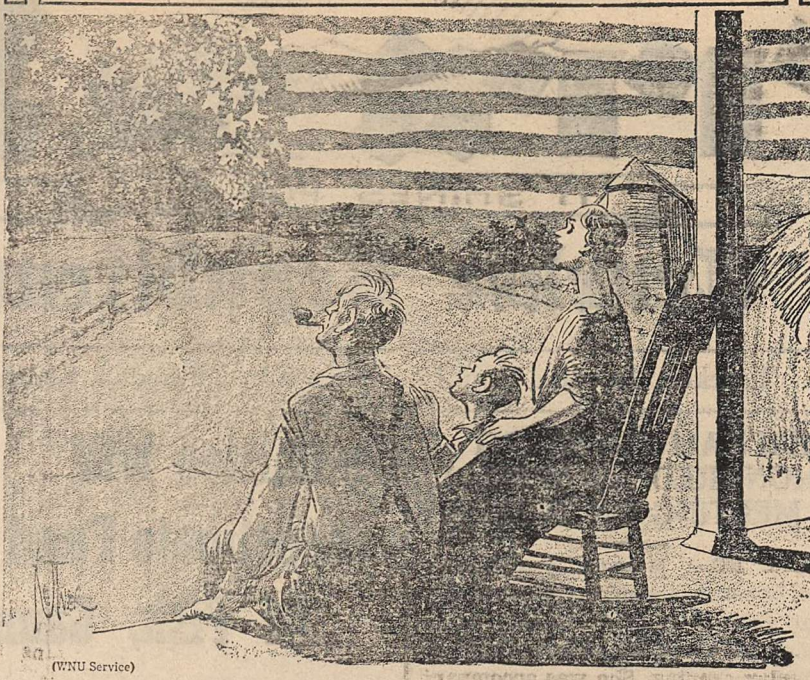
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The Men Who Used To Fight On Foot

We have a reorganized and rejuvenated Army these days. It is made up of smaller, harder-punching units from the squad to the platoon, to the company, to the regiment, then up on to the division through the corps, to the field army.

Where the old army division (the division is the smallest complete unit which includes all kinds of weapons under one command) of 20,000 men rushed to battle at the speed of twelve miles a day, the new division can snap toward the enemy at more than forty miles a day whenever motor transportation is made available. And the soldier won't have flat feet when they get there, because they ride to work in trucks.

There will be fewer men to a division only about 13,000, but with new weapons these men will be able to sling more pounds of assorted steel at the enemy in less time than the old divisions could.

In the new division the commander has, as his direct aides, an infantry general and an artillery general. Through these generals the orders are transmitted down through the regiments, the battalions that make up the regiments, the companies that make up the battalions, to the platoons and eventually to the squads where the corporal will indicate our recruit, John Smith, what is necessary.

WEAPONS FOR THE INFANTRY
The 13,000 John Smiths in the new streamlined divisions will find an attractive array of weapons to choose from. In the first place there will be 4500 new M1 rifles for one of these streamlined divisions of infantry. These new semi-automatic rifles, weighing only nine pounds, will pump out two or three times as many shots per minute as the old rifles would.

One of the prime jobs facing the Army, and in turn the National Advisory Defense Commission, is where and how to turn out rifles fast enough to equip these new troops. And that problem is being worked out day by day.

There are other new weapons. There is the .30 caliber automatic rifle or light machine gun, enough like a rifle for a man to pick up and walk away with it. There will be about twenty 81 mm. mortars, and 60 mm. mortars for each division. A mortar can lob a shell weighing several pounds right to where the enemy is hiding behind a building. There will be a supply of eighteen .50 caliber machine guns that can stop anything up to and including light tanks, and another eighteen 37 mm. antitank guns whose 1½ inch shell will ruin almost any tank that ever clanked. In addition, the infantry must be supplied with .45 caliber service pistols, and a large number of hand grenades to present to nearby enemies.

The job facing the nation today is to provide adequate manufacturing facilities to supply those weapons for the existing divisions as rapidly as possible, and to deliver them to the new divisions as fast as they are ready for them. That calls for special steels for the gun barrels. It calls for machines that can convert that steel into weapons. And it calls for men who can operate these machines. The Army knows its needs. It is the job of the National Defense Advisory Commission to find out how we fulfill those requirements without confusion and crowding. But that list above is only what a modern infantry regiment can more or less carry over its shoulder in the way of weapons.

There are also fast modern tanks which carry substantial armor and

Traveling Around America



AN OLDSTER

THIS gemlike little building is a descendant of the first English church in the western world. It is St. Peter's Church in St. George, Bermuda, visited weekly by 12-day cruises from New York. The edifice stands on the site where Richard Moore, the first governor of Bermuda, erected the first church in 1612—a little edifice constructed of cedar and palmetto leaves surrounded with leafy roofed cabins and protected by nine sturdy forts. Relics of the seventeenth century church still are to be seen within this newer one. The altar table, handsomely fashioned from red cedar, dates back to 1624. The solid silver communion vessels, said to be worth a quarter of a million dollars, also are of ancient date. A small chalice and cover were in use as a Communion Cup in 1625. A large chalice and cover, two flagons and a paten, the gift

of King William III and Queen Mary, date from 1697. A christening bowl, the gift of Governor Browne of Salem, Mass., dates back to 1782. The clock tower was constructed in England for a dockyard, but upon completion was found to be too small. The church warden of St. Peter's who happened to be in England at the time bought the clock at an auction and took it back to St. George with him. The townspeople were so enthusiastic over the clock that they speedily raised enough funds to buy it from him for the church. And it has been booming off the hours for residents of St. George for more than a century. It is topped by part of a weather vane which once surmounted the residence of Sir William Pitt in London. So it is that the old still lives on in Bermuda.

EDNA MAE STARR

Our Weekly Sermon

by MAX I. REICH

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Our lord addressed His disciples in the Sermon of the Mount as being both salt and light. "Ye are the salt of the earth," said He, and, "Ye are the light of the world."

Without salt the world would become corrupt, and without the light the world would be in darkness.

In order to keep the world sweet, the heavenly salt must mix with it. In order to give light, the lamp must be on a lampstand elevated above the world, separate from it. Then will the light dispel the darkness and show up the evils which the darkness hides.

Thus Christians have to maintain a twofold character in the world: (1) as world mixers, (2) as world-rebukes. These characteristics appear to be opposed to each other in a paradoxical way. But putting them together we get harmony. We have to embrace

At the Churches

Catholic Church

Rev. William Daly, Priest
Rev. J. O'Connor, Associate
TRUCKEE 8:30 A. M.
TAHOE CITY 8 and 10:30 A. M.
AL TAHOE 10:30 A. M.

Community Church

Rev. G. J. E. Keetch, Minister
SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 A. M.
MORNING WORSHIP 11 A. M.
YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEAGUE 6P. M.
TAHOE CITY VESPER 7:30 P. M.

the world in love, and yet we have to stand apart from the world, fearing its deadly influence, as Lot found when dwelling in Sodom; he lost his testimony there.

"Ye are the salt of the earth," said the Lord. It is not what we say or do but what we are that matters first. Personality is ever the secret of influence. Good does not exist in principle merely. It must incarnate itself in men and women in order to overcome evil.

If the world becomes more and more evil, blame not the world, but

machine guns. We will have small ones capable of galloping over good roads at thirty-five miles an hour, and moving over rough ground at a good clip. And there will be big ones capable of slugging it out with anything that comes along. Under new contracts, these steel turtles are being turned out in the middle west. The steel industry has already told the Advisory Commission that preparations are under way to increase production of light armor plate to meet requirements.

AMMUNITION NEEDS

That more or less settles the weapons that the infantry has handy. But these modern, agile, war machines can dispose of a surprising quantity of ammunition in a short time. For example, the M1 rifle with a good man on the trigger end can fire over 130 shots in five minutes. A machine gun can loose about 2,500 shots in the direction of the enemy in the same time. So it is evident that there will have to be considerable expansion of the nation's ammunition facilities in a hurry. And, this in turn, will call for more powder plants and stepping up of production of brass shell cases and steel jacket bullets. All this has to be done without creating bottle-necks, without waste motion. And that's the way it's being done.

TABLE OF WEAPONS

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M1 rifle, 30 caliber. 5500 yards range. 30 rounds per minute.
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the salt which has lost its savor. If the world becomes darker and darker, do not denounce it merely. The cause is that the church's lamp is growing dim; heavenly things are not the all-commanding realities they once were; the border lines between church and world are not as clearly drawn as once. When Christians seek their pleasures in Egypt, it is because Canaan no longer satisfies them. If we would have our community or our country purified, it must be by the impact of sanctified personalities.

Let us seek for a spiritual movement that will regenerate the men and women who are the determining factors in the different spheres of responsibility that make up our social structure. And that movement, I am persuaded, will come only by the way of the cross of Christ and its accompaniments will be repentance, conversion and surrender to God.

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FORTY FAIR FINALE



Signalizing the final rites for the Golden Gate International Exposition, which occur on the night of Sunday, September 29, Nina Bissell—"Miss Pacific Coast"—prepares to lay a wreath on Pacifica, theme statue of Treasure Island. Flanking her and standing at present arms are members of the crack Treasure Island Company of the United States Army with their color guard who have added many impressive ceremonies to the 1940 season.

TAHOE SCHOOL AFFAIRS

Grammar school students who are currently studying the Hawaiian Islands will present a play written around a Hawaiian theme within a few weeks in a performance which will benefit the school's Junior Red Cross funds. Children have been bringing foods to school which are derived from Hawaiian products in connection with the project.

—Mrs. Myrtle Gallinger and Miss June Scheuermann of the Tahoe Lake School staff attended a county teachers meeting at Auburn on Saturday. Discussion of new report cards and general policy for the year were the themes of the session.

—Two new students are Virginia and Don Hordford of Meeks Bay who entered school this week.

—Little Gene Ferguson entered school this week again after an absence due to illness.

—Dan Miller, sophomore high school student from Kings Beach, left for San Francisco this week.

—Mrs. Stella Watson, bus driver, conducted several of the members of the county school supervisors on lake tours while they were at Chambers last week-end.

—Mrs. Alta Bowman of the Homewood telephone staff, returned to her home last week with her son Kenneth.

—Miss Luella Hill of Sacramento, who has been at Homewood phone exchange all summer, left for her valley home last week.

Tahoe Deputy Sheriff Held On Charges of Burglary As Stolen Property Is Found

—TAHOE CITY— James Ferguson, caretaker at the V. S. McClatchy estate at Sunnyside, was arrested by Constable Harry Johanson on Saturday night on a charge of alleged burglary at the old Walker Ranch in Blackwood Canyon last spring. Johanson took Ferguson, who is a deputy sheriff in Placer county, to the Auburn jail to await preliminary hearing in the court of Justice E. W. Bliss on Friday or Saturday.

Sheriff Elmer Gum of Auburn was at Tahoe Sunday to investigate the case and Johanson turned over to him the evidence secured at Ferguson's home, consisting of a table, seven doors and a small steam engine which was used in churning butter.

The ranch, owned by Fred Dixon of Sacramento, is leased yearly to the Landa Brothers, local sheepmen.

Oakland Firm Low Bidder On Lake Road Project

—Among highway bids and awards made by the state department of public works in August was one for resurfacing 1.5 miles between Homewood and Tahoe City in Placer county.

The contract was awarded to the Independent Construction Company of Oakland on a low bid of \$7,985 with A. Teichert and Son, Inc., of Sacramento submitting a bid of \$8,900.

Lake Tahoe News

by ANNE B. ANDERSON

LAKE TAHOE SKI CLUB TO HOLD ELECTION NEXT FRIDAY EVENING

by I. M. EDWARDS
(Special Sierra Sun Correspondent)

—The election of officers for the coming year for the Lake Tahoe Ski Club will be held Friday, October 4, at 8 p. m. at the Tahoe Community Center Building. Everyone is urged to attend in order that there will be enough present to transact important business. New members as well as old members will be welcomed. Don't forget the date—the first Friday in October.

Tahoe Union Sunday School
—Owing to the popular vote of the children themselves, the Tahoe Union Sunday School is going to keep open during the winter. Sixteen were present last Sunday and the service was led by Miss Sally Cross. Betty Renner was elected secretary and Robert Edwards was named president. Those children who do not already have their own Bibles are to have the opportunity of earning one by perfect attendance.

The services are held at 10 a. m. every Sunday at the Tahoe Community Center and everyone is welcome to attend as it is non-sectarian.

Many Hunters Report With Bucks Over Week-End as Season is Best in Many Years

—TAHOE CITY— Many were the successful nimrods who reported to Tahoe City last week end with their deer.

Bill Shifton of Lakeview Drive got a four-pointer in the Rampart district on the Truckee River on Saturday. Ed Miller of Tahoe City brought in a forked horn buck from Pago Meadows on Sunday. W. E. Cox and L. V. Wallman of Los Angeles reported with the biggest bucks yet seen at Tahoe City. Howard Burns of Atherton's Grocery, got a fine forked horn on the ridge west of Tahoe City on Saturday. Stanley Pomin of Tallac brought in a good sized buck from Ward Creek district last week.

All local experts agree that the deer hunting season is the biggest and most successful one for years, with more deer being taken out than ever before.

—Recent noted guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Walker at Tahoe Pines was George Palmer Putnam of the famous eastern publishing house and widower of Amelia Earhart, famous woman flyer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freese with their children Bobby and Paula returned to their Tahoe City home on Sunday after a vacation at Santa Rosa with Mrs. Freese's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Link.

H. F. DROSTE RENAMED TO HEAD TAHOE CIVIC GROUP FOR THIS YEAR

—TAHOE CITY— A special meeting of the board of directors of Tahoe Community Center was held at the community hall last Thursday when election of officers resulted in the re-instatement of the complete staff of officers for the coming term. They are H. F. Droste, president; Weller Atherton, vice president; E. W. Bliss, secretary; Clarence Vernon, treasurer; and C. W. Vernon, Marie Henry, A. M. Anderson and Evelyn W. Bliss, and H. F. Droste, trustees.

The directors are Norman Mayfield, Carl Bechdel, Sr., Mrs. W. A. Simmonds, Atherton, Mrs. Bliss, Anderson, Mrs. Joe Duffee, C. O. Valentine, Mrs. Henry, Vernon and Droste.

Members discussed business matters of the year and voted to add a new outside stairway to the community hall, work to be started soon.

Three Days of Rain Brings .67 of an Inch Precipitation To Lake Tahoe and District

—TAHOE CITY— The level of Lake Tahoe on Monday, September 23, was 6226.89 feet above mean sea level with five gates open at the Truckee River dam outlet and 366 cubic second feet of water leaving the lake. Temperatures during the past week varied from a high of 70 degrees to a low of 32 degrees. Precipitation received from storms during the first of the week—on September 17, 18 and 19—totalled .67 of an inch.

Barometers were high on Monday with clear skies and sunny weather prevailing. Lovely autumn colors are brightening the slopes, creek beds and hillsides. Shadings range from the golden yellow of poplar trees to the deep warm reds of the mountain ash.

Traffic was still very heavy on all lakeshore highways with a prevalence of out of state cars.

—Victor Wikander of Oakland, who has been vacationing at his isolated mountain home at Buck Island Lake over in the Rubicon country, was at the J. P. St. Sure home near Tahoe Tavern on Monday.

—Major Jack Malcolm of Lake Street went to the Veterans' Hospital at Palo Alto last week to get treatment for the recurrence of ailments due to injuries received during the World War.

—Mrs. Stella Watson motored to Auburn on Friday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Dora Lukens, of the pioneer Auburn family.

TAHOE NEWS IN BRIEF

—Lester Hawkins and Austin Brown of the staff of Sunset Magazine of San Francisco are vacationing at Lake Forest.

—Mrs. M. Rucker of Mill Valley is occupying her home near Carnelian Bay.

—Miss Virginia Asal, daughter of Mrs. John Pingree, Lake Street, left this week for San Francisco where she has accepted a position.

—A new bridge across the Truckee River for cars and pedestrians is being built by C. F. Tollefson of Big Chief Camp.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jules Hancock of Piedmont are spending a fall vacation at Tahoe Inn where they were entertained at an anniversary party on September 22. Their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Pride of Berkeley, came up for the occasion.

—Mr. William S. Bliss of San Francisco, with his son William M. Bliss of Glenbrook, called on friends at Tahoe City on Sunday. The party inspected the Tahoe Community Center building to which the Bliss family, descendants of the pioneer D. L. Bliss of Glenbrook and the Comstock Lode, contributed so generously. The family will present added pictures of the Steamer Tahoe to the branch library where articles of early history of the Lake Tahoe region are being collected.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chris Boyarides left last Friday for a trip back east to Indiana where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

—Miss Florence Vernon of Lakeview Drive entertained at a birthday party Saturday evening honoring the birthday of her sister, Lillian, who spent the week-end at her Tahoe home in company with Miss Jessie Grossman, a fellow student at University of California. Other guests included Bob Huston, "Red" Sommerfeld and Joe Pomin.

—Miss Elizabeth Ashe donated ten copies of her book Intimate Letters from France to the Tahoe branch of the American Red Cross to be sold as a benefit for the organization's funds. Copies may be secured at Tahoe Library or from Mrs. E. W. Bliss.

—Lewis Rhodes of San Francisco is a guest at the home of his friend Ernest Hoerdler, Lakeview Drive, where he is deer hunting.

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Relic of Tahoe's First House Presented to Lake Library

—TAHOE CITY— Mrs. Claire Jones of Homewood, who writes under the name de plume of Dorothy Mac, presented the Tahoe Branch Library's collection of historical relics of the Tahoe region with a square handmade nail from the first house built at the Lake. The house was erected near Tallac in 1855 for John McNeil, lumber superintendent employed by Mrs. Jones father, M. C. Gardner, for whom Mount Gardner at the south end of the lake is named.

Remains of the house still stand near the south end Wye.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bedwell of El Cajon are vacationing at King's Beach. He is a noted writer of adventure stories.



GOOD EATS AND DRINKS

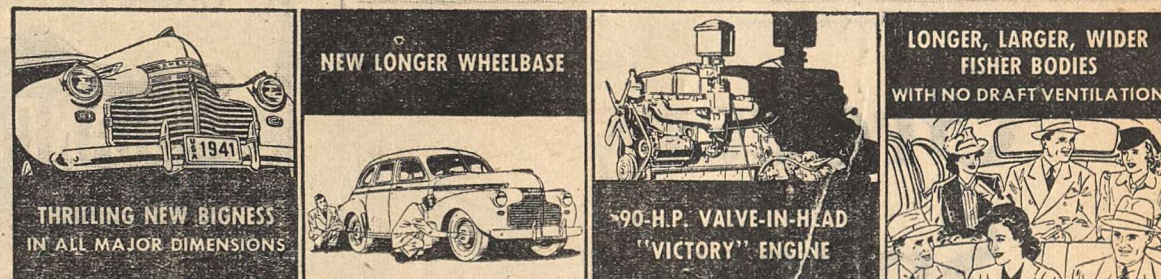
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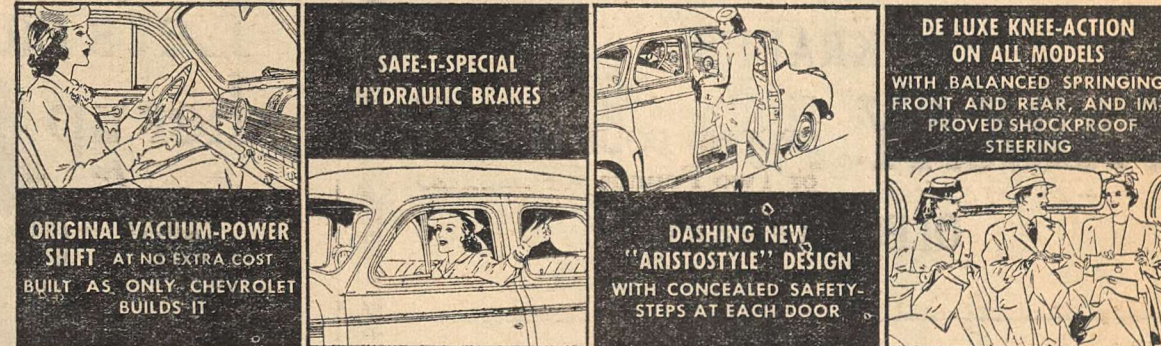
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Pioneer California Banker Retires as Vice-President Of Large Chain Banking Firm

—Local bankers are paying tribute this week to Alfred E. Sbarboro, vice president of Bank of America, on his retirement after more than 40 years service in this banking field.

He was born in San Francisco in 1875, eldest son of pioneer Andrea Sbarboro, who landed from a wind-jammer at the old Clay and Montgomery waterfront and became a very successful businessman and financier.

The elder Sbarboro contributed a notable chapter to San Francisco's early progress. He first established one of the most important wholesale grocery houses, helped found the famous Italian-Swiss Colony, then applied his talents to various financial activities. He organized several building and loan associations, in which the son received training in banking and showed keen natural aptitude.

In 1899 the father founded the Italian American Bank, in which Alfred became cashier and later earned the presidency, which he held until 1927 when the Sbarboro banking interests joined forces with those of A. P. Giannini and the Italian American Bank became a branch of the Bank of Italy (now Bank of America). Alfred Sbarboro became one of the principal officers of the Giannini institution and has since served continuously and brilliantly as a senior credit executive. His reputation as a sound, skilled banker and student of economics is nationwide.

Although he now retires as an officer of Bank of America, he will continue to serve the bank as member of the advisory council of its general executive committee and the directors' committee for the investment of trust funds, as well as continuing as a director of the Merchants National Realty Corporation, according to L. M. Giannini, president of the bank.

Among outside activities to be maintained by Mr. Sbarboro are his directorship in Pacific National Fire Insurance Company and the Italian Swiss Colony.

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Observation Points Set-Up For Visitors at Dams in Huge Reclamation Project

—SACRAMENTO, —(U.P.)—The bureau of reclamation field office announced this week that observation points have been established over looking construction sites at both Shasta and Friant dams of the central valleys project.

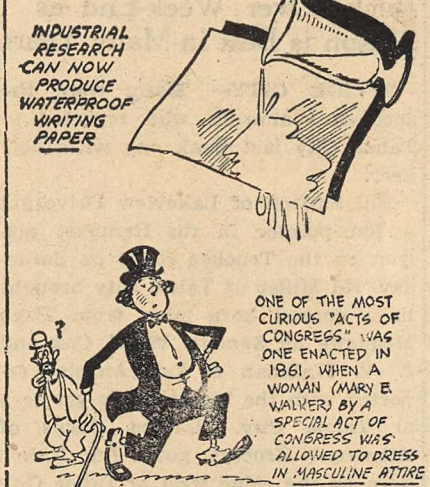
At Shasta dam, the observation point is located on the east side of the Sacramento River canyon overlooking the excavation for the dam. The main observation building includes a covered grandstand seating 150 persons and other facilities.

An adjacent 60-car parking area is reached by a road turning off the Shasta dam highway a short distance back of the dam site. Signs direct visitors to the area.

At Friant, a roofed shelter has been erected, to be reached from a paved parking area at the top of the south abutment.

Walker R. Young, supervising engineer of the project, declared that visitors are welcome at the two dams. "The government appreciates the interest of the public in these features of a public conservation project. We are glad to submit our work to public inspection, but as a matter of safety must exclude sightseers from the immediate construction area," declared Young.

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Politically Speaking

by JOHN W. DUNLAP
United Press Staff Correspondent

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 26—(U.P.)—It's been a long time since the old state house and Sacramento in general has seen such an exciting and long week-end as occurred during the political conventions and state legislature.

To top off everything, Republican Presidential Nominee Wendell T. Willkie arrived on his special train, somewhat stealing the show from the weary politicians.

There were many sidelights to the hawing and tugging that took place in the scramble for political favor. One of the best was the geographical byplay involving Senator Ed Tickle of Carmel. It should be explained first that Senator Tickle was the ingenious resident of the Monterey Bay area who helped create the gag that the capitol should be moved to Monterey. The incident created much publicity several years ago.

Thus it was that a deadlock appeared imminent at one stage of the campaign for Republican state chairman. Friends of Tickle suggested that he would be a good compromise candidate, except that the chairmanship rotates from north and south each two years and this was the year for the south.

What Is Southern California?

To the layman, Southern California is that territory south of the Tehachapies. While roughly one third of the state lies below that unofficial line, more than half the population lives there. To become more technical, the middle of the state frequently was set somewhere around San Luis Obispo county, the division set by the automobile clubs.

But Tickle's friends, somewhat to his amusement, got an opinion from the legislative council that the 37th parallel was the center of California, which would place Monterey county just south of the line. Hence, Tickle could be a candidate.

But the boom wore off and the chairmanship went to a bona fide southern Californian. There might have been some raised eyebrows if Tickle had nabbed the job.

Progressives for Thomas

Another highlight of the conventions, coming up so quick that few besides the small crowd present knew about it, was the over-throw of the Progressive forces by the Socialists, resulting in the nomination of Socialist Norman Thomas for president on the California Progressive ticket.

The Socialist party was disqualified from the November ballot because too few votes were cast at the last presidential election. The Progressives found out too late at what they charged "stacking of their convention by members of other parties registering as Progressives to get control of the proxies.

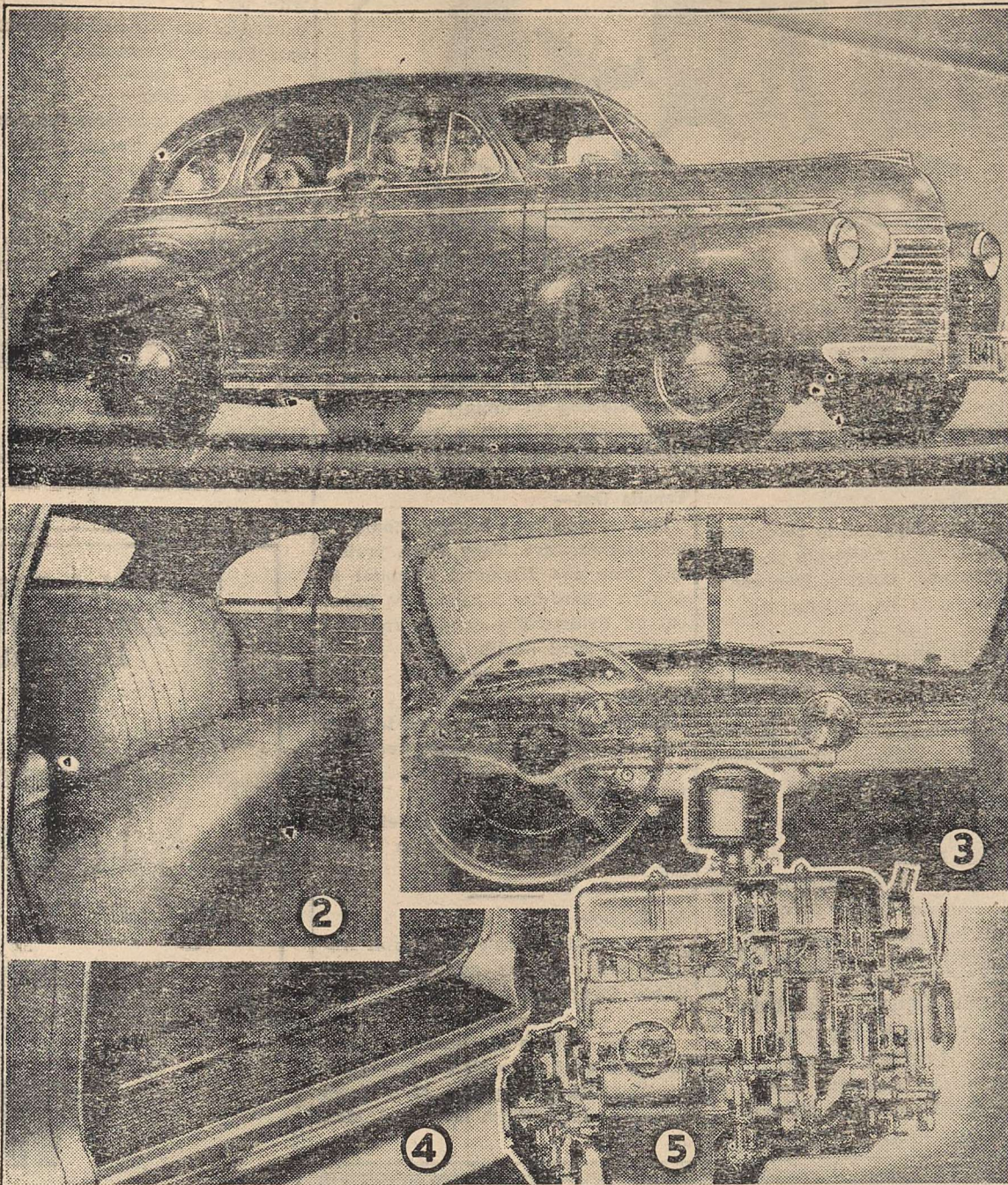
Instead of Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin for the nomination, the Progressives were on the short end of a 40 to 8 vote in behalf of Thomas. At the psychological moment, Thomas then walked in to thank the delegates for the nomination and deliver a fiery speech against both Roosevelt and Willkie.

Townsendites Back Republican

Another interesting sidelight was the campaign of the Townsend party to get pension-conscious voters registered back on the Townsend ticket. Sufficient votes have to be cast to keep the party from going the way of the Socialists.

The Willkie forces completed a good deal when the Townsend party designated the 22 Republican electors at

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At (2) is shown the spacious interior of the same model's rear compartment, and at (3) is its front compartment, showing two-spoke steering wheel with horn-blowing ring, new sliding-type sun visors, and smartly re-styled dash.

One of the major changes is substitution of concealed safety-steps (4) for the running boards of other years, an improvement adding to the car's beauty without sacrifice of the safety and convenience which running boards provide. At (5) is the six-cylinder Chevrolet valve-in-head engine for 1941, in which many refinements have been made. Horsepower is increased from 85 to 90 without affecting economy; and cooling, lubrication and carburetion are all improved. In circle is the new switch which reverses the ignition current polarity each time the starter is operated, indefinitely prolonging the life of distributor points.

COOL WEATHER, SHOWERS CUT DOWN FIRE DANGERS

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 26—(U.P.)—Because of the cool, cloudy weather and showers in forested areas through the state, fires on state patrolled property have been held this year to a third of the acreage burned in 1939 and a third of the cost of damage for the same period, State Forester M. B. Pratt announced this week.

Although conditions are good, Pratt said, there will be no let up on vigilance either by individuals or by forestry employees because northwinds, and warmer days may reverse the situation entirely.

A comparative record of valley and forest fires for 1938, 1939 and 1940 for the periods between January 1 to September 1, shows this year to date being lower than either of the other two. Timber, brush, grass and hay and grain acreage burned in 1940 totalled 130,819 acres, 379,065 in 1939 and 163,355 acres in 1938.

Damage to timber this year amounted to \$2,059 as compared to \$128,624 a year ago and \$24,035 in 1938. Range, hay and grain and improvements suffered less damage in 1940 than either of the previous years, with the total financial damage estimated at \$126,036 this year as compared to three times that amount—\$372,551—in 1939 and \$228,501 two years earlier.

For the period between January 1 and September 1, 1940, almost as many fires were fought as for that period last year, Pratt said, with records showing 3214 fires in 1940, 3906 in 1939 and 2883 in 1938.

The main worry of the fire fighters now, Pratt said, is the north wind that may undo the good already brought about by light rains in Shasta, Trinity and other counties in the higher regions. Normally he said,

serious fires may occur anytime during the next two months of the fall but present weather conditions are "unusual" and may continue to keep the record low.

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NEVADA ROAD UNDER REPAIR

Motorists driving to Virginia City via the Geiger Grade will encounter five miles of construction, reports the National Automobile Club. Traffic is carried through the work with a minimum of delay and inconvenience.

There are but two ways of paying a debt; increase of industry in raising income or increase of thrift in laying out.—Carlyle.

the Townsend representatives.

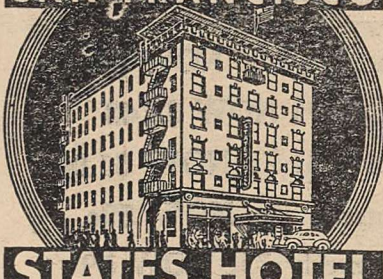
Platform fights had their sidelights, too. For example, the Republican drafters were careful to mention Gov. Olson by name each time a barb was thrown at the state administration, yet the name of President Roosevelt was conspicuously absent. A San Rafael delegate got up on the floor and protested that he called "smear tactics." Senator Jesse Mayo, bitter anti-Olsonite from Angels Camp, replied "if you'd been in the legislature, you'd know what a smear campaign really is." (The names stayed in.)

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To University—

Philip Kearney left this week for Palo Alto where he will enroll in Stanford University for post graduate work.

From Silver City—

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Elliot of Silver City, Nev., were in Truckee this week.

From Grass Valley—

George Markell, former local automobile dealer, was here from Grass Valley yesterday.

At Red Bluff—

Mr. and Mrs. D. Cabona are spending a few days in Red Bluff.



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LAST DAY TODAY

If you have not been properly registered to vote prior to close of business today, you will not be able to cast your ballot in the forthcoming presidential election. Ben Tonini at Tonini's Grocery and Mrs. William Johnson at the J. L. Lewis Store are the local registrars.

Has Operation—

Mrs. A. E. Polyanich is recovering in a Reno hospital following an operation performed Monday. Her condition is reported as satisfactory.

Entertain at Dinner—

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas entertained at their home on Tuesday evening with a stag dinner for the following guests: William Johnson, Tony Pace, Robert Huston, Robert Siebold and James Thomas, Jr.

Leaves for Home—

Mrs. Agnes Greene left for her home in San Jose after an extended visit with her son, L. A. Greene.

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TEACHERS TO SCHOOL

Eighty-two elementary school teachers and 41 high school instructors in Nevada county will convene for the annual teachers' institute to be held in Nevada City on October 23, 24 and 25, according to County Superintendent Walter A. Carlson, who is preparing programs for the sessions.

Tonsils Out—

Sharon Pace was brought home by her mother, Mrs. Tony Pace, yesterday from the Highland Hospital in Auburn where her tonsils were taken out on Friday. The child is reported to be in good health.

Gets Deer—

Robert Moore was reported to have brought in a deer late last week.

In Loyalton—

Byron Johnson and Allen Seibridge of Kingvale were visitors in Loyalton last week.

At Tahoe—

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Douglas of Auburn are spending a few days at Tahoe this week.

Among visitors at Treasure Island the past week were Mrs. Annie Tonini, Mrs. Mary Roquette, Mrs. Hazel Johnson, Mrs. Edith Fay and Mrs. A. Filipicic.

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HEADS EASTERN STAR

Climaxing 38 years of service in the Order of Eastern Star, Mrs. Effie Easton, San Francisco physician's wife, was named most worthy grand matron at the national convention in San Francisco recently.

Chamber Meeting—

Chamber of commerce luncheon on September 30 at Tony's Coffee Shop.

Art Sather Party at Lake—

Art and Eddie Sather and Jack Mackay of Auburn and Wallace Shepard of Sacramento went hunting near Hell Hole, back of Sather's summer home at Homewood Lake Tahoe. Shepard and Mackay each got a buck. The same party caught the limit of fish on Sunday.

Hunts near Here—

Attorney Fred Tuttle and party of Auburn were deer hunting near here last week.

CARD OF THANKS

To my many friends and patrons, especially the businessmen, who have been so loyal in their patronage during the past 46 years, I wish to express my sincere thanks. Such friendship and loyalty have made my recent dairy business a success and I want you to know I am deeply grateful.
—Mrs. James McIver, Sr

Visitors at Boca—

Mrs. A. B. Haight of Lincoln and Mrs. Margaret Plaistead of Westwood have returned to their respective homes following a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cartwright in Boca. Mrs. Haight is a sister of Mrs. Cartwright and Mrs. Plaistead a niece.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO
ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

September 23, 1940

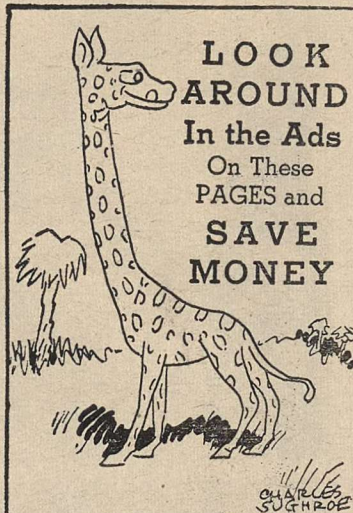
To Whom It May Concern:
Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages on these premises, described as follows:

U. S. Hwy 40, 10 Miles East of Truckee, Nevada County.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows: On Sale Beer.

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license(s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

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One Gallon LA BOHEME Dry Red Wine \$1.33
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